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Title: FIBROUS FILTRATION FACE MASK HAVING A NEW

UNIDIRECTIONAL FLUID VALVE

## REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.323

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## **CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 17

Line 17, delete "fluid-permeable" and insert - - fluid impermeable - - therefor.

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